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FOR ITS MANUFACTURE

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated May 25, 2004, applicant hereby elects the invention indicated by the Examiner as Group I on which are readable claims 1 - 11.



Applicant retains his right to file a divisional application for the non-elected invention of group II on which are readable claims 12 and 13.

An action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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